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istanbul, no Soviet or Rumanian official has appeared at that Consulate General, either for conferences or to visit, since the recall of Giorgi Petar Trufking \*\* and the reassignment of the former Bulgarian Consul General, Sava Popavranov, \*\*\* to Ankera as 25X1X Counsellore

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that Toma Mikolov was accountant at the Bulgarian Exarchate and assistant to Giorgi Trufkin at the Consulate General.

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in June 1948 Nikolov was secretary and

legal adviser to the Bulgarian Exarchate,

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Commento Giorgi Petar Trufkin, Bulgarian Press Attaché, was recalle to Sofia and departed from Istanbul with his wife on 20 January 1949.

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Comment, Sava Popavranov was reliably reported on liarch 1919 to have succeeded Traiko Popov as Counsellor to the Bulgarian Imbassys Ankara.

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